

City of Alvin, Texas

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Thanks to YOU, Newman Park has new KaBOOM Playground!



Once again Alvin residents rose to the occasion! On Saturday, November 17th over one hundred volunteers joined with City of Alvin employees and KaBOOM to build a playground in Newman Park. Members of the community came together to build a maze, shade structure, paint sidewalk games and construct the play equipment!

The community build project was funded by the Rebuild Texas Fund in an effort to rebuild parks and play spaces in areas that were impacted by Hurricane Harvey last year. This park has truly transformed the area and has created a fun and safe place for families to play.

Newman Park now features activities for 'kids' of all ages with a tall slide, spinner, tons of swings, a basketball court, large maze to run through, a library and more. This is the second grant the City of Alvin has received and the second time our residents have joined with us to invest in their community. We are so thankful for each person who came out, rolled up their sleeves and helped make this playground bigger and better for all citizens to enjoy! A huge THANK-YOU to our citizens, our employees, Rebuild Texas and KaBoom!

Newman Park is a 2.5 acre park located at 1200 Newman Street.

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Alvin ISD Education Foundation

5K Turtle Race & Fun Run!

Mark your calendars for Saturday, February 9, 2019 for the **5K Turtle Race and Fun Run.**

Where: National Oak Park

When: Sat., Feb. 9, 2019

Why: Benefit Alvin ISD Ed-

ucation Foundation

Need details?

Email- mpurcell@alvinisd.net or solson@alvinisd.net or visit www.alvinisd.net/ EducationFoundation

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The City of Alvin launched a new set of community videos on the City of Alvin website a few months ago. Check it out at www.alvin-tx.gov and click on the "Welcome City of Alvin Video Tour" button or scroll



down to the Video Tour tab. Once you open the tab you will see several categories on the left that feature videos on Quality of Life & Tourism, Education, Economic Development and Relocation and Community Organizations. After you watch the City of Alvin videos, please take a moment to also click on the business logos surrounding the your cell phone.

Home Still Damaged by Harvey?

Assistance may be available! ACT NOW! HGAC-E/Gulf Coast Region, in partner-ship with The Texas General Land Office, and the Texas Homeowner Assistance Program is serving eligible homeowners in Brazoria County. A mobile intake center is available every Wednesday from Noon—5 p.m. at the Alvin Library located at 105 S. Gordon Street, Alvin, TX 77511.

For additional information visit www.recovery.texas.gov/hap or call 1.844.893.8937/email: cdr@recovery.texas.gov

Staff Spotlight Tyler (T.C.) Allen Parks-Facilities Department



Length of time working for the City of Alvin: *7 years*

Three things most people don't know about you: 1) I have two kids, 2) I've studied health and wellness, 3) started with the city as utility worker.

What would people be surprised if they knew: I'm really into hunting.

What is your Motto or personal mantra: You are the entrepreneur of your career.

What have you always wanted to try but never have: *Skydiving*.